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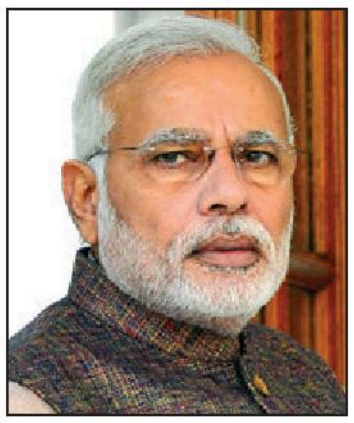
IMPENDING GUJARAT POLL RESULTS

Prime Minister Modi alerts Governor Vajubhai to pack up?

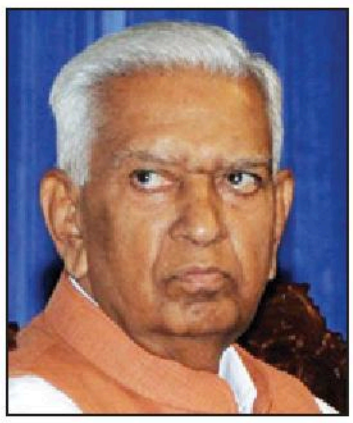
Likely to be made Gujarat Chief Minister

Bengaluru, Dec.11- Even as the outcome of Gujarat Assembly polls is being keenly watched across the country, reports from the State Capital suggest that Governor Vajubhai Rudabhai Vala, who hails from Gujarat, may return to his home State in a few days, probably by this Sunday.

With the counting of ballots of Gujarat Assembly elections to be taken up on Dec.18, Prime Minister Narendra Modi, who himself was the Gujarat Chief Minister before becoming the PM in 2014, the PMO is said to have called Vala over phone and asked him to be ready to return to Gujarat at short notice.



Prime Minister Narendra Modi



Governor Vajubhai R. Vala

The BJP, which had been ruling Gujarat for 22 consecutive years since 1995, is said to be sweating it out this time, as the Opposition Congress helped by the local caste leaders Hardik Patil, Alpesh Thakore and Jignesh Mevani, is posing a tough challenge.

With speculations of Vajubhai R. Vala returning to Gujarat gaining credence, the Raj Bhavan authorities are said to have directed the officials to clear all pending files, latest by Dec.16.

Accordingly, the officials at Raj Bhavan are working overtime to appropriately clear all files by the end of this week.

The BJP Central leadership is said to be considering the name of Vala to the CM's *gaddi,* post-Dec.18 poll results and the party will take a decision in this regard, post-Dec.18 political scenario in Gujarat, which has 182 Assembly seats, it is learnt.

Meanwhile, the second and last phase of polling in Gujarat is scheduled for Dec. 14. In all, 93 Constituencies will go to polls on Dec.14 while 89 Constituencies underwent polling in the first phase that took place on Dec. 9.

The final voter turnout in the first phase of Gujarat elections stands at 66.75 percent, according to the Election Commission.

Ravi Belagere remanded to Judicial custody

Bengaluru, Dec.11- *'Hai Bengaluru'* Editor Ravi Belagere, who was arrested by the CCB Police on Dec.8 for allegedly hiring supari killers to eliminate his former colleague Sunil Heggaravalli, has been remanded to Judicial custody by a City Court till Dec.23.

Ravi Belagere

The CCB Police produced Belagere before the First Additional Chief Metropolitan Magistrate (ACMM) Court this morning, after his Police custody ended today.

Judge Jagadish remanded Belagere to Judicial custody till Dec.23, while rejecting the CCB's plea to extend his Police custody for facilitating more investigation into the case, it is learnt.

[See also page-4]

Mysuru Mayor, Dy. Mayor posts

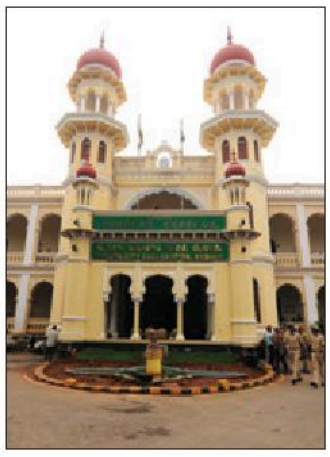
State Govt. likely to announce reservation this evening

Mysuru, Dec.11 (MTY&DM)- With the term of the present Mysuru Mayor M.J. Ravikumar having expired on Dec.6, the State Government is likely to announce the reservation for the Mayoral polls later this evening.

The JD(S) and the BJP combine had ruled the Mysuru City Corporation (MCC) for the first four terms after the Civic Body election was held in 2013.

Now the Congress, which is ruling the State, is set to take advantage by reserving the Mayor's post for SC (Woman) candidate as neither the JD(S) nor the BJP have this category candidate to contest the Mayoral polls.

Although the Congress emerged as the single largest party in the 2013 MCC election, the JD(S) aligned with the BJP to win the Mayoral polls for the first four one-year term. Now, the Congress, eager to win the Mayor's post for the last term, is looking at all possibilities of grabbing the important post by announcing the reservation to its advantage, it is learnt.



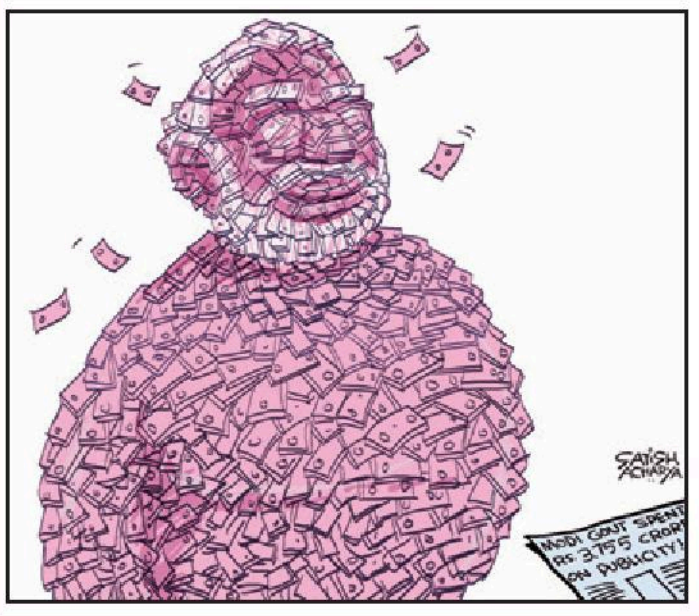
The post of the Mayor of the second largest city in the State seems to have become a prestige issue for the ruling Congress Government as Mysuru is also the home district of Chief Minister Siddharamaiah.

Although the Congress made attempts to align with the JD(S) in the past four terms to get the Mayor's post, all these attempts became unfruitful, with the JD(S), the second largest party in the MCC, aligning with the BJP. While the JD(S) held the Mayor's post, the BJP had to remain satisfied with the Deputy Mayor's post in the 65-member Civic Body.

Hectic political activities have been going on in the past couple of days, with speculations that the State Government may announce the reservation for the posts of Mayor and Deputy Mayor today.

STAR PUNCH

By Satish Acharya



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"We believe comment is free, but facts are sacred."
Editor-in-Chief: K.B. GANAPATHY B.A; B.L.
Mysuru, Monday 11th December 2017

Dreaming of eminence

India is the world's *largest* democracy. One has to keep one's reaction to that claim, or description of the nation using superlative adjective, without getting lost in the choice between *(a)* the adulation reflects its humongous population (as the second most populous) and *(b)* the appreciation for its democratic dispensation (which has started showing signs of balkanisation) of the nation's territory. While the above two sides to the country's present profile are to be accepted as facts, various global rating agencies, choosing different parameters, economic or otherwise, are coming out with their data-based verdicts about India that are not quite flattering.

In fact, their *rating* on parameters such as public health care, nutrition status of the population, law and order scenario, safety on roads witnessing alarming rise in mishaps as well as fatalities and so on have been tending to be at the bottom rung of the latter, which the country's administration owes it to the people to earn higher ratings in a short time-frame. Thanks to the honchos in the successive governments pursuing personal interest, the *dream* of earning top billing by global rating agencies is likeable to asking for the moon.

A former President of the country, who took fascination to meet young minds in schools and colleges across the country, even while being in the nation's topmost post, used to exhort his target section of the population to *dream*, carrying a message of intimate connect between progress and *creative* thinking. Now the Union government has come forward to do a similar act, but making a tempting offer of huge financial grants.

Even as the *number* of Universities, including deemed Universities as well as autonomous colleges authorised to award degrees across the country is on the cusp of crossing the 1,000 mark, we read disturbing reports in dailies of all hues giving the unmistakable impression that all is not well in these institutions, barring a handful of them. The Universities in Karnataka, as is familiar to the avid readers of media reports, are making headlines for all wrong reasons in recent times. In this context, the news in a section of the press last week under the caption "University of Mysore eyes *Institute of Eminence* tag should make one sit up and ponder about *(a)* Frequently published low global rating of India's Universities at large and *(b)* Another published fact namely, the University of Mysore was ranked 36th in the survey conducted by National Institute of Ranking Framework.

In sum, one is constrained to observe that as long as the political heavy-weights call the shots in making decisions concerning even academic matters as well as appointing faculty, the dream of earning the eminence tag shall remain a pipe dream.

EDITOR'S BOTTOMLINE

One of my neighbours informed me that he was shifting his residence to a place closer to his son's school. He said his son would be in the ninth standard next year and the boy would have to concentrate more on his studies. I said, "The school bus is picking him up at our street corner and dropping him back in the afternoon. Why are you shifting your residence?" He replied that his son spent about an hour each in the morning and afternoon commuting in the bus which he could utilise for studies if they lived close to the school. I remembered my school days. I had studied in various schools in different towns. I had commuted miles by walk, bus, bullock cart and bicycle to reach my schools which were never near my house. In fact, I wrote my school final exams cycling three miles one way under the scorching summer sun. My parents used to comfort me saying that some of my cousins walked seven miles to school and college and they all settled down well in life later because they grew up in hardship.— *In The New Indian Express.*

NEWS SPARKLERS

Carrying incredible load on his shoulder

Kiev: Humans have been riding horses for thousands of years, but one Ukrainian strongman proves that horses can sometimes ride us too. Champion power-lifter Dmytro Khaladzhi has been making quite a name for himself by carrying live, fully conscious horses on his back to prove his incredible strength. Like most strongmen, Khaladzhi, 38, does a lot of crazy stuff, like letting trucks drive over him, bending steel rods with his teeth, or driving nails through wood with the palm of his hand, but his horse carrying routines are by far the most impressive. It doesn't always go smoothly, as horses aren't exactly used to be lifted off the ground and carried around by a puny human, but they have their legs bound so that they don't do too much damage. A Wikipedia page on Dmytro Khaladzhi claims that he holds a whopping 63 Guinness Records and the champion of the 1st championship of the Ukrainian Drug-free Powerlifting Federation, in the bench-press category.1

Cell phone addiction causes paralysis

Guangzhou: A 29-year-old man from Guangzhou, China experienced sudden paralysis of all four limbs after spending two consecutive days playing on his mobile phone. The man reportedly spent a lot of his time looking down at his handheld, but this latest gaming marathon was the straw that broke the camel's back. Late last month, the unidentified gamer spent two consecutive days trying advance mobile video game, he was so passionate about. In the early hours of the third day, he felt a sudden pain and stiffness in his neck. Within moments all four of his limbs went numb, and he found himself paralysed. His family rushed him to the emergency department of Sun Yat-sen Memorial Hospital, where, an Orthopedic specialist Shen Huiyong diagnosed him with Cervical Spondylosis Hematoma. That meant that his paralysis was caused by blood clots in his cervical spinal tube pressing against his spinal cord. After spending some time in intensive care, the man regained his fine motor skills and ability to walk but will need multiple sessions of physiotherapy to be one hundred percent recoverd.

HEALTH CAPSULE by Bron Smith

Does tart cherry juice really relieve gout?

A 4-month study revealed that just 1 tablespoon of tart juice taken twice daily reduced gout flare-ups by half. The anthocyanin content of tart cherries reduces uric acid in the bloodstream, thereby relieving gout symptoms.

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Rotary Brindavan bags Best School Award

Mysuru, Dec.11 (SV) - The Best School Award has been bagged by Rotary Brindavan School at the recently conducted National-level Math and Science Talent Search Exams by Unnathi Academy.

K. Mamatha, School Principal, was honoured with the Best Principal Award while Assistant Teacher R. Shobha was awarded the Best Organising Teacher Award along with a Silver Medal.

In the Math Talent examination the following students have secured Ranks:

K.S. Suraksha of U.K.G secured Taluk Rank -1st place, S. Rishith Gowda of 5th std. won District Rank - 1st place, S. Shwetha of 9th std. won Taluk Rank - 1st place, S. Bharath of 10th std. won State Rank - 1st place and also bagged Silver Medal for his outstanding performance. In the Science Talent exam, Gnanashree of 8th std. secured Taluk Rank - 1st place.

Acharya Vidya Kula students excel

Mysuru, Dec.11- B.V.S. Mahathi, a IX std. student of Acharya Vidya Kula has won the III prize in English elocution competition conducted by Sri Jayachamarajendra PU College Sharada Vidya Mandir, Mysuru while R. Sanaatan (IX std.) has won III prize in English debate competition conducted by Sri Sharada Public School, Mysuru.

Really...?

- ***A new species of spiders have been discovered in the Amazon that creates fake spiders as decoys from leaves, debris, and dead insects to misdirect predators.***
- ***Created by the male pufferfish, this 7-foot diameter geometric pattern is designed to attract a mate and have her lay eggs in the centre.***

LAUGHTER THE BEST MEDICINE

Raju bought a heavy item from the bazaar. He turned to a porter and said, *"Take this to my house."* ***The porter inquired,*** *"Okay, where is it?"* *"Are you crazy?"* ***Raju replied.*** *"I don't know you; you might be a criminal for all I know; I would be foolish to tell you where my house is !!"*

Today's Currency Rate

1 US Dollar	= Rs. 64.43
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1 UAE Dirham	= Rs. 17.54
1 Euro	= Rs. 75.91

VOICE OF THE READER

Stop this risky drive

Sir,

In our country road accidents are increasing year after year and more than 1.5 lakh people are killed and 4 to 5 lakh people are injured every year. To reduce the accidental deaths, road safety guidelines under the banner of 'Golden Rules' also have been issued by Transport Research Wing of the Ministry of Road Transport & Highways (GoI).

However, people are taking chance while driving on the road and violating all types of road safety rules. In the recent past, several incidences of people driving the cars by allowing the kids on the lap of driver *(see photo)* are being noticed within the city limits.

Incidentally, in all these three cases, there were people sitting next to the driver and in one incident the child was asleep. This is a very dangerous practice and road safety is at stake for self and other road-users.

In many foreign countries no child is allowed to sit in the front seat and every child up to 16 years need to use child restraint and based on the actual age of the child, the facing of the restraint also varies. The driver may be perfectly driving even with the kid on the lap, however, in an emergency, the kid may become a hindrance to take a quick action while on the road. Hence, this practice should be discouraged by elders for the safety of themselves and other road-users and the property.

—A concerned citizen & Member, Mysuru City Traffic Advisory Committee

Mysuru
6.12.2017

Mismatch of Seat Numbers in AC Chair Coach of Chamundi, Rajya Rani Express Trains

Sir,

There is a mismatch between the position of seat as mentioned in the train ticket and the seat position in the AC Chair Coach Compartment of Chamundi and Rajya Rani Express Trains which are daily trains to and fro Mysuru to Bengaluru.

For example, Seat number 41 is Window Seat as per the train ticket whereas it is an Aisle seat in the Compartment.

I request the Railway authorities to immediately correct this mismatch. Either the ticket booking system should be aligned to the seat position in the compartment or the seat position in the compartment should be aligned to the seat position in the ticket booking system.

—N.Bhaskar

Brindavan Extension
6.12.2017

S. Nijalingappa's name to be recommended for 'Bharat Ratna': CM

Nijalingappa

Bengaluru, Dec.11- Chief Minister Siddharamaiah has said that the State Government would send a proposal to the Centre seeking 'Bharat Ratna' posthumously for former Chief Minister late S. Nijalingappa.

Speaking to press persons after garlanding the statue of Nijalingappa marking his 115th birth anniversary at Vidhana Soudha here yesterday, the CM said he would urge the Centre to install Nijalingappa's statue at the Parliament Bhavan.

Receiving a petition from Kannada Chaluvali leader Vatal Nagar seeking 'Bharat Ratna' for Nijalingappa, the CM said that he would propose the Centre to confer 'Bharat Ratna' on Nijalingappa, who contributed enormously to the State in several fields such as irrigation and education.

World AIDS Day by FPA India

Mysuru Dec.11 (SV) - The Family Planning Association of India, Mysuru Branch -ULBA Hospital and Rotary Ivory City, Mysuru conducted World AIDS Day Programme along with Cauvery College of Nursing, Mysuru and Vidya Vikas College, at FPA premises on Dec.1. The Day started with a rally, followed by a street play and an awareness programme which was inaugurated by Shobha Nagaraj, Community Service Director, Rotary Ivory City.

D.S. Shashikumar, Hon. Secretary, FPA India, Mysuru, presided. Shakuntala Babu of Rotary Ivory City, Prof. Krishna, HoD, Vidya Vikas, Bannur Road, Jai Santhosh Naik, faculty of Vidya Vikas, Nikki, Faculty of Cauvery College of Nursing, were present. Resource person Dr. S.S. Malini spoke on HIV/AIDS and its transmission, symptoms.

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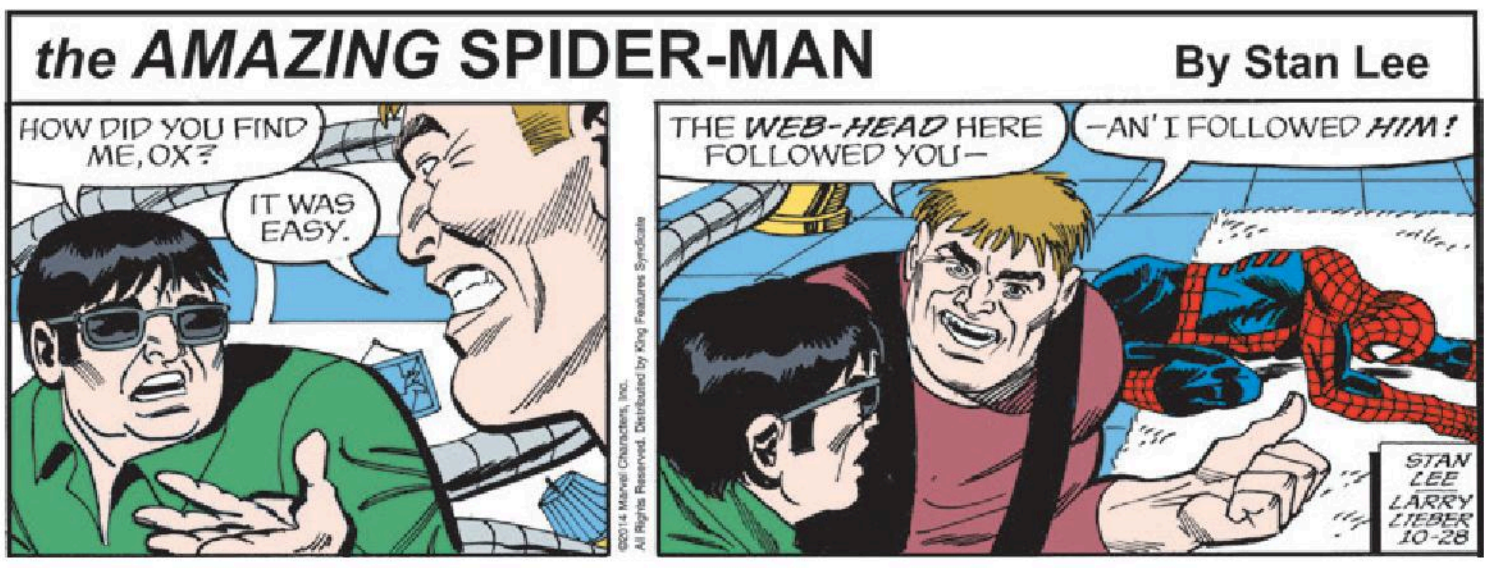
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NEWS BRIEFS

Skill development training

Dr. B.R. Ambedkar Development Corporation, Mysuru, has invited applications from SC candidates for skill development training. Applications can be obtained from the office of the Corporation at #9/A, SBM Zonal Office building 3rd Floor, Sahukar Channaiah Road, Saraswathipuram, Mysuru or at the respective taluk branches. Filled in forms must be submitted before Dec.20. For details, contact Ph: 0821-2332480 or e-mail to bradclmysore@gmail.com

Diamond Jubilee celebration

The valedictory of the Diamond Jubilee celebration of Rotary Children's Library Association (RCLA) will be held at Rotary Hall beside Mandovi Motors on KRS Road in city at 6.30 pm on Dec.14. The event will feature quiz, essay writing and debates. Noted businessman Chandra Gupta Jain will deliver a talk on "The inner values of life." For details, contact Ph: 0821-2420992.

Power disruption

Owing to emergency maintenance works, power supply will be disrupted in the following areas tomorrow (Dec.12) between 10 am and 5 pm: Rajiv Nagar 1st and 2nd and 3rd Stage, Shanti Nagar, Nehru Nagar, Radhakrishna Nagar, Bharat Nagar, JSS Layout, Shakti Nagar, Ghousia Nagar, Khyatamaranahalli, Kalyanagiri, Hanchya, Bhoogatagalli, Melapura, Rammanahalli Water Works, Kalasiddanahundi, Satagalli, Bannur Ring Road and surrounding areas.

No water supply

Owing to power disruption in the Melapura and Rammanahalli, water supply will be disrupted on Dec.12 in the following areas of Ward No. 46 to 54 coming under Devanur Water Storage Unit and areas of Ward 55 to 65 coming under German Press Water Storage Unit, according to a press release.

Health camps

Narayana Multi-speciality Hospital has organised a Varicose vein check-up camp (10 am to 12 pm) and diabetes camp (9.30 am to 2 pm) at its premises on Dec.12. For detials, contact Mob: 95380-52378, according to a press release from the Hospital.

Ph.D awardee

C.R. Poornima Devi has been awarded Ph.D in Microbiology by the University of Mysore (UoM) for her thesis 'Studies on Physico-chemical and microbiological parameters of lakes in Mandya district' [Guide: Dr. S. Mahadeva Murthy].

Ravi Belagere makes call to Sunil Heggaravalli while in CCB Custody

Ravi Belagere *Sunil Heggaravalli*

Bengaluru, Dec.11 (ACP& DM)- The Central Crime Branch (CCB) Police continued their interrogation of '*Hai Bengaluru*' Editor Ravi Belagere yesterday.

Even as Ravi Belagere, is in Police custody, he is said to have made a call to journalist Sunil Heggaravalli, whom Ravi Belagere is said to have conspired to kill by hiring Supari killers.

Belagara is said to have made the call to Heggaravalli through one Madhu, a former employee of '*Hai Bengaluru*' at 9.40 pm.

Belagere is said to have questioned Heggaravalli whether he (Sunil) had told Television channels about his (Sunil) affair with Yashomathi, who is said to be Belagere's second wife.

Sunil Heggaravalli is said to have replied to Belagere that he did not have to say anything as he was not in any way concerned about it, following which the call was cut off, it is learnt.

Later speaking to press persons, Sunil Heggaravalli said that Ravi Belagere had made a threatening call to him even as he (Belagere) is in Police custody. Wondering why the Police had allowed Belagere to meet everyone and make calls, Heggaravalli said that he would lodge a complaint with the Subramanyanagar Police about the threat call made by Belagere.

Meanwhile, the Police have found Belagere a tough-nut to crack over his alleged Supari contract to kill his former employee Sunil Heggaravalli.

The CCB sleuths investigating the case have questioned Belagere's second wife Yashomathi, who denied any connection with the alleged plan to kill Heggaravalli over a personal dispute between Belagere and Heggaravalli.

Police sources said that Belagere gave evasive answers to their questions and denied charges that he gave a contract to kill his former colleague Sunil Heggaravalli.

On Sunday, Belagere was again taken to Victoria Hospital for check-up after his health deteriorated. There was, however, some drama as Belagere refused to get into the vehicle — even placing his foot to block the sliding door-until cigarettes were given to him.

In Victoria Hospital, Ravi Belagere was taken in a wheelchair to the treatment room, when he injured his toes as the wheelchair brushed his dropped down foot.

Police sources further said that the interrogation has revealed little with Belagere remaining reserved.

DCP questions ACP over phone call made by Belagere

Even as the news of Ravi Belagere making an alleged threat call to Sunil Heggaravalli last night, while he (Ravi) is in Police custody, DCP Jinendra Khanagavi, who visited Bengaluru CCB office at Chamarajpet this morning, is said to have questioned ACP Subramanya on how a man in custody could get access to a mobile phone.

The DCP is said to have sought an explanation from the ACP on how Ravi Belagere was allowed to make calls and also to meet his (Ravi) kith and kin at will, while in Police custody.

The DCP is also said to have quizzed Belagere on who gave the cell phone to him and also about the alleged threat call made by him (Ravi) to Sunil Haggaravalli last night.

When questioned about his acquaintance with hitman Shashidhar Ramachandra Mundewadi, he replied defiantly that being in contact with someone with criminal cases was not a crime.

The sources further said that Belagere had to be taken to Victoria Hospital several times due to his illness, shrinking the time available for CCB sleuths to get any relevant information out of him to make a headway.

Meanwhile, Belagere's four-day Police custody ends on Monday.

"Belagere will be produced before the Court on Monday and we may seek extension of his custody for a few more days to gather enough information," according to a Police officer, who is investigating the case.

Even as the Police may seek extension of Police custody of Ravi Belagere, a team of Policeman from Bengaluru is camping at Sindagi taluk in Vijayapura district, looking for Viju Badiger, who is reported to have escorted hitman Shashidhar Mundewadi to meet Belagere at his office.

House burgled in RBI quarters

Mysuru, Dec.11 (YDS&KS)- Miscreants have burgled a house in the highly-secured RBI quarters in city and have decamped with gold ornaments weighing about 120 grams and silver articles weighing about 2 kg kept in the house.

The burglary took place at the house of RBI employee Manjunateshwara, who had locked the house on Dec.6 and had been to the house of his relative along with his family.

On Dec.9, the neighbours, who saw the door ajar, called Manjunateshwara over the phone and informed him.

He rushed to his house and on inspecting, he found the gold ornaments and silver articles kept in the almirah missing and lodged a complaint at Metagalli Police Station. Metagalli Police, who have registered a case in this regard, are investigating.

Gold ornaments stolen at City Bus Stand

Mysuru, Dec. 11 (SPN&KS)- An incident of miscreants stealing gold ornaments kept in the purse has been reported at City Bus Stand on Dec.6. The woman, who lost her gold ornaments, has been identified as Ramya.

Ramya, who had been to the wedding of her relative, had kept the gold ornaments comprising two bangles and a long-chain in her purse and after the wedding, she had come to the City Bus Stand to catch a bus to her house. Miscreants, making use of the rush, stole the valuables.

Devaraja Police have registered a case in this regard and are investigating.

Two injured as KSRTC bus rams into scooter

Mysuru, Dec.11 (YDS&KS)- Two persons riding a scooter were injured, when a KSRTC bus rammed into the vehicle near Panchamukhi Temple on New Sayyaji Rao Road here on Friday evening.

The injured have been identified as Syed and his daughter Safiya, residents of Mandi Mohalla in city.

The duo was proceeding towards Panchamukhi Temple from Sheshadri Iyer Road, when the KSRTC bus (KA-09 F-5346) rammed into the scooter near Old RMC injuring the two.

The injured have been admitted to K.R. Hospital.

A complaint has been lodged at N.R. Traffic Police Station in this regard.

Obituary

Vasudevarao

Mysuru, Dec.11 - Vasudevarao (78), Proprietor of Hotel Raj Bhavan near Jaganmohan Palace and senior member of Mysuru Hotel Owners Association, passed away yesterday following brief illness.

He leaves behind his wife Anasuyamma, sons Srinivas, Ramakrishna and Vadiraj, daughter Lakshmidevamma and a host of relatives and friends.

Last rites were performed at the foot of Chamundi Hill last night.

A native of Neramhalli in Kundapur taluk of Udupi district, Vasudevarao was running the hotel since 57 years. Mysuru Hotel Owners Association has condoled the death of Vasudevarao.

H.K. Ramachandra

H.K. Ramachandra (81), retired BEO, Political Science lecturer and the Director of Talent Vidya Samsthe in Hunsur, passed away last night at his residence in Manjunatha Layout in the town.

He leaves behind his wife Sulochana, sons Krishnamurthy, Raghavendra and Vijayendra, daughter Manjula and a host of relatives and friends.

Last rites were performed at the burial grounds next to Hunsur Taluk Office this noon, according to family sources.

District Home Guards Sports Meet concludes

Mysuru, Dec.11 (PM,YDS& US)- The two-day District Annual Sports Meet for Home Guards, organised by District Home Guards, concluded at Mysore University Sports Pavilion here yesterday. The event featured 100 mts. and 800 mts. run, 4x100mts. relay, long-jump, high-jump, shot-put, kabaddi, volleyball and tug-of-war for men. For women, it included 100mts. and 400mts. run, 4x100mts. relay and tug-of-war.

Over 50 Home Guards from nine units in the district participated in the event. About 35 Home Guards will be selected for the Regional Sports Meet to be held from Dec. 17 to 19 at Channarayapatna Taluk Sports Grounds in Hassan District.

The valedictory was held at Fire Brigade Parade Ground in Saraswathipuram here yesterday.

Speaking on the occasion, Additional SP and Commandant, District Home Guards N. Rudramuni opined that participation was more important than the result in any sports event. He added that people who want to take up sports as a profession should have excellent training and knowledge about the sport.

He regretted that though the District Home Guards strength was 1,300, only 50 had taken part in the Sports Meet.

He assured to motivate the Home Guards to develop interest in sports. He said that effort would be made to organise a get-together of Home Guards and their family members.

Prizes were distributed to winners during the valedictory.

Tibetans take out Peace March in city

Mysuru, Dec. 11 (YDS&KS)- Marking the 69th year of World Human Rights Day and the day when Dalai Lama received the Nobel Peace Prize in 1989, members of Tibetan Youth Congress from Bylakuppe, Hunsur, Kollegal and Regional Tibetan Women's Association of Bylakuppe and Hunsur took out a Peace March in city yesterday.

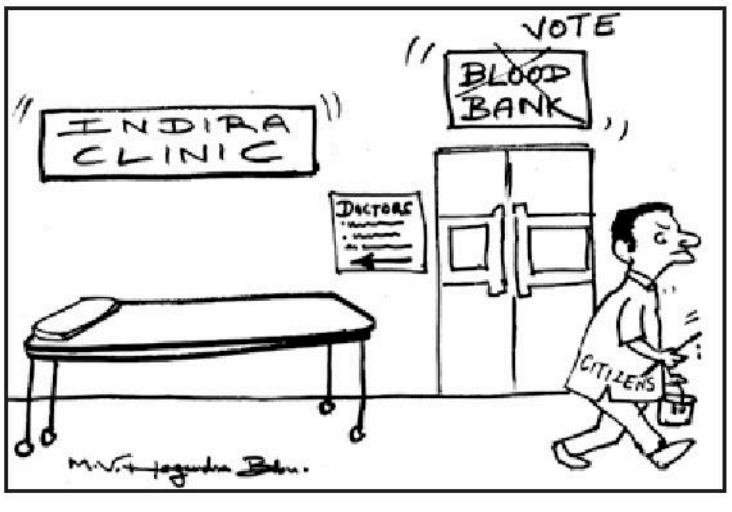
The Tibetans assembled near Mysore Palace, where eminent Speakers addressed the gathering and later, the procession was taken out which passed through the thoroughfares of city before culminating at the DC's office.

Speaking on the occasion, President of Regional Tibetan Women's Association Tanzin Dolma said that they mark the day as the height of Chinese repression and atrocities in Tibet, which had resulted in over 150 Tibetans committing self-immolation and added that the wave of mass protest and peaceful demonstrations were strong and consistent inside Tibet. She sought the world's support and immediate action against the tragedy.

A memorandum was submitted at the DC office in this regard.

President of Tibetan Youth Congress, Hunsur, Bylakuppe and Kollegal Palden Dorjee, Tsering Lhakyap and Tsering Dorjee Chung and others took part in the procession.

BABU'S BANTER By M.V. Nagendra Babu



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National Workshop on Tribal Healers & Exhibition of Tribal Medicines

Highlights of the Workshop

10th to 14th December 2017
Timing 11.00 AM to 6.00 PM

- Display of Rare Tribal Medicines.
- Demonstration of Indigenous Healing Practices
- Traditional Kerala Massage and Steam Bath
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Venue: IGRMS, SRC Wellington House, near Sub-urban Bus stand, Irwin Road Mysuru.

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Tribal Museum to come up in city

CM to lay foundation stone for Rs.10 crore museum near Kergalli soon

Mysuru, Dec.11 (RK& NNN) - The City of Palaces and Museums will add one more feather to its cap when the Karnataka State Tribal Research Institute sets up a Tribal Museum shortly. This is the first time a museum of this sort will be opened.

Karnataka State Tribal Research Institute (KSRTI) is an arm of Karnataka State Tribal Development Department and is presently located at a private building behind Jagadamba Petrol Bunk in Kuvempunagar.

KSRTI Director **Prof. T.T. Basavanagowda,** who decided to have a building of their own, sent a proposal to Mysuru Urban Development Authority. Due to sustained efforts, the then MUDA Commissioner S. Palaiah had allotted nearly two acres (5,188 sq. metre) in Treasury Employees Layout behind Christ Public School, near Kergalli.

The land was transferred to KSRTI on payment of Rs.28 lakh. It has got permission for an action plan from the government to construct a building at an estimated cost of Rs. 10 crore.

KSRTI set up with a mission to conduct research and evaluate studies on problems relating to Scheduled Tribes, will have a museum and training centre and administrative buildings.

It has been working on socio-economic and educational aspects of tribals in the State and so far, along with recommendations, 18 reports have been submitted to the government, said Prof. Basavanagouda speaking to *Star of Mysore*.

The construction work will be taken up by Karnataka Residential Educational Institutions Society and the tender process has been completed. Chief Minister Siddharamaiah will lay the foundation stone as soon as the dates are finalised, he said.

JSS College of Physiotherapy

conducts "PGCON3" conference

Mysuru, Dec.11 (SV)- JSS College of Physiotherapy, Mysuru, had organised the 3rd National 'PGCON 2017' recently at Sri Rajendra Centenary Auditorium in JSS Hospital campus. The post-graduate conference (PGCON) was conceived in 2013 to complement physiotherapy PG education. Now in its third edition, the focus was on 'back to basics' and interdisciplinary themes.

Chief guest Prof. N. Sai Kumar, Chairman, Board of Studies - Physiotherapy, Rajiv Gandhi University of Health Sciences (RGUHS), Bengaluru, spoke about Physiotherapy's role in rehabilitation of patients with different kinds of disorders. He stressed the need for research in the field of Physiotherapy and appreciated the role of JSS College of Physiotherapy in imparting education as well as clinical patient care in the JSS Hospital.

Keynote address was delivered by Dr. Subramonium Ranagaswami, former Vice-Chancellor, Sri Ramachandra University, Chennai, who highlighted about the perceptual tools for clinical practice from a historical perspective. An e-souvenir of PGCON3 was released by the dignitaries on the ocassion.

R. Mahesh, Director of Medical Education, JSS Mahavidyapeetha, presided. PGCON - 2017 conference was partly funded by Rajiv Gandhi University of Health Sciences, Bengaluru.

The resource persons for the conference were Dr. Subramonium Ranagaswami and Dr. Kavitha Raja, Principal, JSS College of Physiotherapy, Mysuru for the topic 'Clinical Reasoning; B. Naveen Kumar, Faculty, Dept. of Physiotherapy, Nizam's Institute of Medical Sciences, Hyderabad and Dr. Leister Sam Sudheer Maickam, Adjunct Professor in Clinical Psychology, Mhat (Mental Health Action Trust), Calicut for the topic 'Outcome Measures'; Tanvi Bajaj, Director, Cogitohub, New Delhi and Dr. Vandhana Phadke, Senior Clinical Research Associate, Indian Spinal Injuries Centre, New Delhi for the topic ' Movement for Function'; Dr. L. Sathyanarayana, Scientist Grade 'G' and Dr. Smitha Ashthana, Scientist Grade 'D', ICMR (Indian Council of Medical Research) for the topic 'Research Methods'.

There were around 58 poster presentations by PG students on inter-disciplinary themes. The pre-conference workshops were held on topics of 'Dynamic Tapping' by Dr. S. Gopakumar, Founder and Chairman, Core Physio, India and 'Vestibular rehabilitation' by T. Lenny Vasanthan, Faculty, CMC Vellore and Dr. Manju Deena Mammen, CMC Vellore.

5-day training programme for MSMEs from Dec.19

Mysuru, Dec.11 (SV) - A five-day training programme for MSME (The Ministry of Micro, Small and Medium Enterprises) Capacity Building under ZED (Zero Effect Zero Defect) Certification Scheme of Ministry of MME, is being organised by the Confederation of Indian Industry (CII) at Mysuru from Dec.19 to Dec.23.

The objective of this training programme is to familiarise the MSME industry, especially in the backward areas.

This ZED Certification Scheme is an extensive drive by the Government of India to enhance global competitiveness of MSMEs by providing them financial support in assessment, rating and handholding of its manufacturing processes on Quality and Environment aspects. CII has entered into an MoU with Quality Council of India (QCI) to conduct training programmes under the ZED scheme of the Ministry of MSME.

The Scheme is based on the ZED Maturity Model that requires MSME to demonstrate their technical and resource capability on 50 parameters that would enable them to reach world class capabilities in a structured graduation programme of assessment, consulting, re-assessment. Each stage is supported by substantial cost subsidy by the government of India. Units would be given recognition by the Government of India based on their maturity levels that would be assessed by a team of qualified assessors.

The technical content of the programme would include fundamental guidance on various quality, production, environmental and energy related tolls and techniques that can be easily adopted by MSMEs.

Unit Heads of MSMEs or Quality/ Production Heads would benefit immensely by attending this programme that would be delivered by eminent technical professionals.

There will be no participation fees and participants will be awarded certificates. For registration contact via email: *v.mouli@cii.in, parinita.singh@cii.in* or call Mob: 98880813811. For more details visit: *www.zed.org.in.*

"Indian medicines save 92% of HIV-infected people in world"

AIDS Society of India President Dr. I.S. Gilada in city

Mysuru, Dec.11 (NNN)- AIDS Society of India President Dr. I.S. Gilada said that Indian pharmaceutical companies are responsible for saving the lives of 92 per cent of the people with HIV, as they outsource the manufacture of medicines to India.

He was speaking after inaugurating the 20th Anniversary of Asha Kirana Charitable Trust, here yesterday at a private convention hall and said if a medicine costs 100 dollars, Indian pharmaceutical companies are capable of producing the same medicine at just one dollar.

"Earlier, Indian medicines were considered spurious and the western pharmaceutical companies would take these medicines to test them in their laboratories. When they found that it was genuine, they did not tell the world that it was good but kept quiet. Whenever the Western world keeps quiet in such things, it means it is good," he said.

According to Dr. Gilada, ART (Anti-Retroviral Therapy) medications, which treat HIV is the gift of Government of India to the world. However, the sad part is we ourselves do not recognise this great contribution. "Everybody wants the neighbour's children to be a Mahatma Gandhi or a Bhagat Singh. But they do not want their own children to mould their lives like these great leaders because it involves a lot of sacrifice," he observed.

From left: ***Susan Baraz and Hossein Farmani (both from Focus on AIDS, USA), Dr. I.S. Gilada, President, AIDS Society of India, Dr. S. N. Mothi, Founder, Asha Kirana, Dr. R. Balasubramaniam, Founder, SVYM, Dr. R. S. Gupta, Deputy Director General, NACO, Dr. K.S. Sachdeva, Deputy Director General, NACO, Mehinder Sharma, Chairman, ANS Constructions, New Delhi, Dr. R. Mahesh Kumar and K.S. Guru Raja (both Asha Kirana Trustees) seen during the 20th Anniversary of Asha Kirana Charitable Trust in city yesterday.***

Lauding the efforts of Asha Kirana, he said the four pillars of success that any organisation needs are Location, Initiative, Projection and Promotion, which Dr. S.N. Mothi and his team of dedicated Trustees and staff have achieved.

"There is no vaccine yet which can eliminate AIDS HIV. Hence do not stop the good treatment of ART," said Dr. Gilada.

Dr. R. Balasubramaniam, Founder of Swami Vivekananda Youth Movement (SVYM), speaking as the chief guest said that the services rendered by Asha Kirana can be best described by three Hs of Swami Vivekananda — Heart to Feel, Head to think and Hands to work.

"There is a general misconception that organisation and institution is one and the same and Asha Kirana is sometimes described as an organisation. However, there is a big difference. Organisation is just an organism, an organised way of functioning whereas institution transcends this barrier and the reason is because you need leadership and values, which this institution has in its founder Dr. Mothi and his team," he said.

The greatest strength of leadership is when he or she makes every single employee value his job. "All problems are solvable. In America, President Trump has posed a new problem in declaring Jerusalem as capital of Israel. But people will have to find a solution to it," he said.

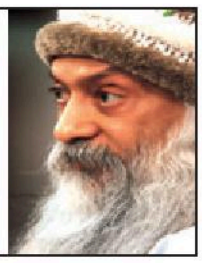
Dr. Balasubramaniam called upon Asha Kirana to go beyond just holding conferences and conducting training programmes and tackle new problems facing the health sector and society and dedicate themselves to the service of humanity.

Dr. K.S. Sachdeva, Deputy Director General, NACO (National AIDS Control Organisation) said that the GeneXpert machine that was donated to Asha Kirana by Kluber Lubrication not only diagnoses TB, but also Hepatitis B and other tests.

"There is a stigma attached to the disease due to lack of awareness and we have to step up the effort to stop the reversal of AIDS. We need to compliment US-based NGO *Focus on AIDS* for their great philanthropic work," he said.

On the occasion, *Focus on AIDS* donated 20,000 dollars to Asha Kirana. Dr. Mothi welcomed and spoke about the journey of Asha Kirana. Trustee Raian Irani proposed a vote of thanks. K. Harish Machaiah compered.

'FREE SEX CULTURE'



Alluding to the running battle Dr. Gilada had with Osho Rajneesh those days regarding free sex advocated by him, the AIDS Society Chief had told the followers of Rajneesh, "Free sex culture cannot be HIV-free culture."

To Our Readers

Watch out for an exclusive interview with **Dr. I.S. Gilada, President, AIDS Society of India** and **Hossein Farmani of *Focus on AIDS, USA,*** in *Star of Mysore* shortly. **—Ed.**

My HIV status revealed to me the true meaning of life

To mark the 20th anniversary of Asha Kirana Charitable Trust which has been providing counselling services, care and support for people living with HIV/AIDS since 1997, here we publish a special write-up by **Sujata Rajpal** on one of the AIDS patients of Asha Kirana Charitable Hospital in Mysuru, to show how people can lead a normal life with AIDS. **—Ed**

By Sujata Rajpal

Ten years ago when I learnt about my HIV status, I wanted to commit suicide; my world had come to an end. But I was a married man with two children, I had to live for them if not for myself. I went to various hospitals believing there might be some cure which could reverse the deadly disease but there wasn't any.

At the government hospitals which I frequented, I was treated like a pariah, like an untouchable as if the nurses and doctors will get the disease just by my mere presence. It was humiliating is an understatement. The feeling of discrimination was worse than the disease itself. Then one day, I ferried a passenger to Asha Kirana Charitable Hospital in Hebbal, Mysuru and my life changed forever.

At Asha Kirana Hospital, after multiple sessions of counselling, I learnt to live a normal life. The counsellors reinforced in me that HIV is like any other disease — like jaundice. Here I also learnt that there are so many people suffering from this disease and are able to live a productive life. So if they can, why can't I? This thought gave me hope. I pop a pill a day and am able to live a healthy and productive life. I have no health issues, I work from 7.30 am to 7 pm. I am as fit as you or anyone else.

At Asha Kirana, I am made to feel like a normal person. The doctors and staff even shake hands with me. The medication is free. I wish more people know about this hospital. Asha Kiran has changed my life. It's not a hospital but a heaven for HIV patients like me.

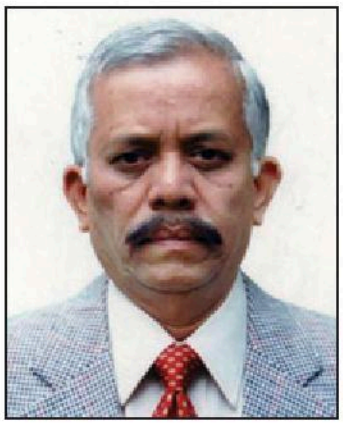
Asha Kirana has not only helped me to live a normal life, but it was here that I understood the true meaning of life which is to live for others. I want to spend the rest of life serving people. I am a taxi driver. As my contribution to the society, I ferry blind, handicapped people and pregnant women free of charge. My wife is disabled so I can empathize with disabled people. She is also HIV positive but our children aren't.

I have the contact numbers of all government organisations, I help people get their work done at these offices, it makes me feel good that in spite of being HIV positive, I am able to make myself useful to other people, my life is worth it. I was recently awarded as the Good Samaritan of the city for my contribution to the society. I have also been awarded by a few private organisations for my selfless services. Many people praise me for my service to the society. They are not aware of my HIV status. I wonder how they will react and behave with me if they come to know of my HIV status. I wish the society was caring and supporting towards patients affected by HIV.

[As told to this writer by Kumar (name changed), Taxi driver, Bengaluru].

Kodagu to be Kerala's appendage if Railway Line is not stopped

This railway line is no life-line to Kodagu, it is a death-knell



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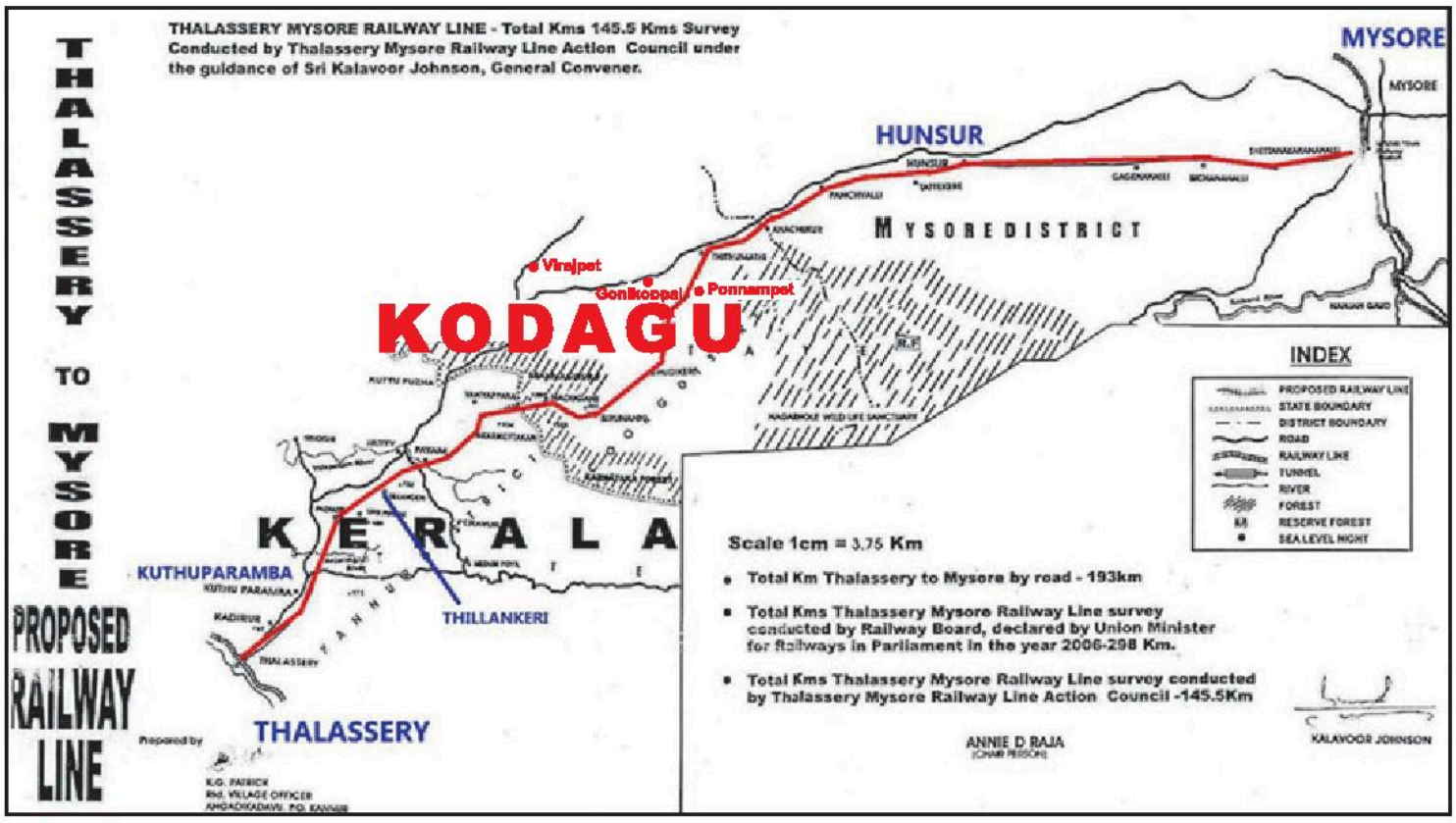
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The proposed Railway line from Thalassery to Mysuru, cutting across South Kodagu, is not only an ecological disaster but also profoundly impacts the socio-economic and the cultural landscape of Kodagu and its people.

Kerala, with its burgeoning population, has facilitated the migration of lakhs of its people into Kodagu which has impacted the socio-economic and cultural ethos of the tiny district and its original inhabitants so much so that most of the towns in Kodagu appear to be an extension of Kerala.

With the proposed Railway line passing through Kutta, Kanoor, Balele and Thithimathi, nearly fifty to sixty meters of land (width) will be taken over by the Railways from Kutta to Thithimathi in a straight line (a distance of around 50 kilometres) not only destroying lakhs of trees and thousands of acres of coffee estates but also destroying the sacred Ainmane, Devarakadus (sacred groves) and temples situated along the Railway line.

This in a nutshell, the Railway line will spell death knell for South Kodagu.

Once the Railway line becomes operational, once again thousands of Keralites will flood Kodagu looking for greener pastures. It is an open secret that the economy of Kodagu is now controlled by Keralites — at least partially. With the exodus from Kerala, the entire economic activity of Kodagu will be controlled by our neighbours. Most of the employment opportunities will be usurped by them, leaving the locals unemployed and frustrated. Trade Union activity will raise its ugly head in the plantation sector, jeopardising the economic viability and sustenance of plantation crops in Kodagu.

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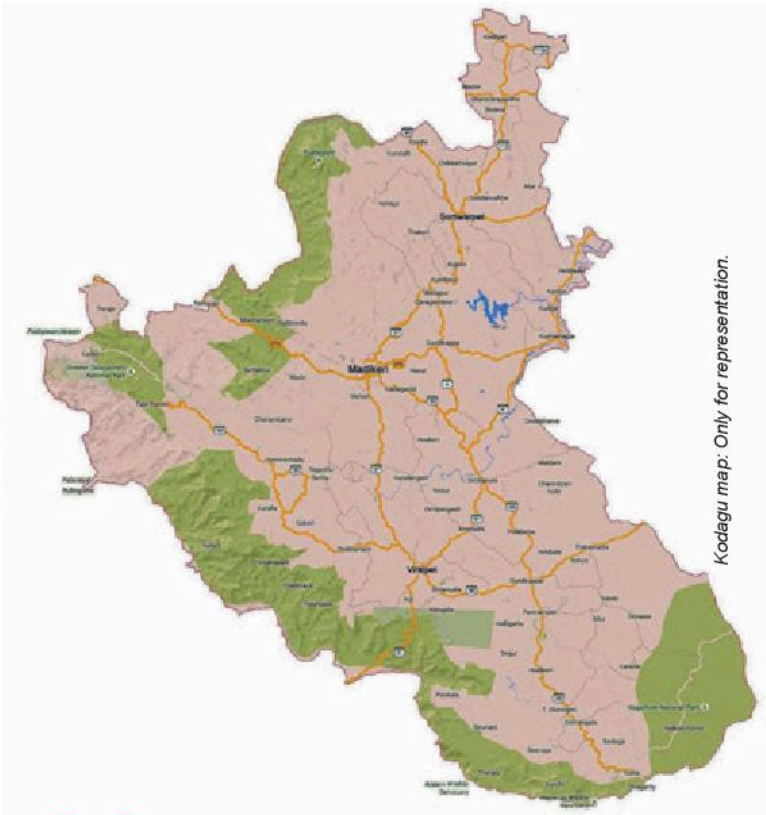
Law and order will deteriorate in Kodagu and lonely isolated houses of locals will be an easy target to loot, steal and women's safety will be under threat. Pepper and coffee from the godowns of planters and also from their estates will be a lucrative proposition for criminals to steal, compromising the safety of the district's agricultural, horticultural and commercial crops.

This proposed Railway line, if not blocked even before the survey takes place and nipped in the bud through peaceful protests approaching the Union Government authorities through petitions from all stakeholders of Kodagu and through available legal channels, will result in Kodagu losing its cultural and social identity and will eventually become an appendage of Kerala.

This problem is not only of Kodavas or any particular community of Kodagu but of all the stakeholders and the original inhabitants who have made Kodagu their homeland for generations.

It is high time the people of Kodagu wake up from their slumber and together fight with all the collective resources at their command — if not for them, at least for the sake of their children, grandchildren and the future generation.


Kodagu map: Only for representation.

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Posterity will never forgive the present generation for their inaction and irresponsibility if this proposal is allowed to be implemented in South Kodagu.

Walkathon by tiger family in Bandipur

Gundlupet, Dec. 11 (SOMG& KS) - Visitors who had gone on a safari at Bandipur Tiger Reserve were in for a treat when they saw a tiger family comprising an adult tigress and her three cubs walking majestically on the safari route on Friday evening.

The death of 'Prince' under mysterious circumstances, who used to appear in front of visitors and stay there for hours, had depressed many but the sighting of the tigress and her three cubs have brought back the smile on the faces of visitors.

Karnataka has the highest number of tigers in the country and Bandipur Tiger Reserve has more than 130 tigers, it is learnt.

In the beginning of the year nine tigers were spotted on a single day and in the year end, a mother and her three cubs were spotted by the visitors to the safari and Pavan, one of the visitors has captured the beauty in his camera.

House burgled

Mysuru, Dec. 11- Miscreants made away with valuables from a house located at Ramakrishnanagar I Block, yesterday. The Police said that the incident occurred when Bhagyalakshmi, a teacher at Belikere Government School, had been to Kempegowda International Airport in Bengaluru to welcome her son who was returning from abroad. The incident came to light when the tenant of house in the first floor found the main door open and informed the Kuvempunagar Police, who rushed to the spot and conducted the mahazar.

The Police said that the Bhagyalakshmi in her complaint had said that Rs. 80,000 cash, 100 gram gold jewellery and a few silver articles were missing from the house.

Kuvempunagar Police have registered a case and investigating.

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Youths rescue leopard cubs near Bebi Betta

Pandavapura, Dec. 11 (KS)- Youths of Banangaadi village have rescued two leopard cubs from a field last evening which the Forest Department have taken into custody.

The cubs were spotted by workers in the field and as the news spread, the youths identified as Devaraju, Nandish, Ravi, Shekar and others who arrived at the spot, waited till the evening for the mother to take back the cubs. When the leopard did not return, the youths took the cubs to the village and came near the Aralikatte, where villagers thronged to have a glimpse of the cubs.

Forest Department personnel, who heard the news, rushed to the village and took the cubs into their custody. It may be recalled that leopards were seen roaming at Bebi Betta, Banangaadi, Bindahalli, Dinka and surrounding places. The leopards had also attacked the livestock.

The villagers have urged the Forest authorities to trap the leopards soon.

REMEMBRANCE

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—Dr. C.B. Murthy, staff and doctors of B.M. Hospital, Mysore

Woman commits suicide

Mysuru, Dec. 11 - A 37-year-old woman committed suicide by consuming pesticide at her residence in city yesterday. The deceased has been identified as Shilpa Thimmaiah of Hebbal I stage here. The incident came to light when her father Thimmaiah, an ex-serviceman, returned home after attending a marriage in Kodagu at 5 pm, yesterday.

Hebbal Police, who arrived at the spot and conducted mahazar, said that Shilpa's body was found lying in the first floor of the house. Later, the body was shifted to MMC and RI mortuary for the post mortem.

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Last year on this date	78.74 ft

Man's toes chopped off over petty issue

Periyapatna, Dec. 11 RM&KS)- A shopkeeper reportedly chopped off the toes of a customer over a petty issue at Periyapatna last night. The incident came to light this morning, when passersby saw the injured customer lying on the roadside and admitted him to Periyapatna General Hospital. Later he was shifted to K.R. Hospital in Mysuru.

While the injured customer has been identified as Puttachennaiah of Bavalalu village, the shopkeeper is 38-year-old Suresh of Ravanduru village who owns a garment shop in Periyapatna.

Yesterday evening, Puttachennaiah, went to the garment shop and bought a dress worth Rs. 250 and gave Rs. 150 to Suresh saying that he would pay the balance amount of Rs. 100 the next day. Soon, wordy duel ensued between the two, resulting in Suresh allegedly chopping off his toes. Periyapatna Police have arrested Suresh.

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Vaastu-Feng Shui & Bio-energetics

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Acquiring wealth

Feng Shui symbolism is quite powerful and helps in countering defects which cannot be corrected through structural changes; however, the symbolism should adhere to the requirements laid-down as per tenets of Feng Shui.

According to Feng Shui, if there is an imbalance of Chi in the body, one can feel unwell or acquire diseases. Similarly, if an imbalance of Chi is present in the business premises, it may not be very profitable. Feng Shui wind chimes, like many other Feng Shui remedies, serve to enhance the flow of Chi and harness it to your benefit.

Adapting basic tenets of Feng Shui, one can overcome the energy block in a building and enhance the comfort level of the occupants.

Creating a home harmonious to exude positivity and activate good relationship is something which Feng Shui facilitates when implemented properly. The sector which represents growth, relationship, family support is the East as per Feng Shui compass direction analysis. Tenets of Feng Shui range from simple DOs and DON'Ts, rearranging furniture to renovation, design, construction, identifying suitable property, plot to interiors and décor.

Implementing subtle changes and designing the space on the tenets of Vastu and Feng Shui, orienting the home to the best direction, proper placement of rooms, doors and windows, ideal colours, floor and wall décor and positioning water features will increase your ability to weather the 'storms of life' with minimum impact.

Feng Shui interior design attempts to direct, retain, and channel this energy in a way that is most beneficial to those using the room. This can be done by the placement of objects at different compass locations or by using furniture made of specific types of material.

Although overall harmony is what one would desire, Feng Shui can be used for specific aspirations in our daily life. Be it relationship, career, happiness or wealth, each of these can be empowered by adapting appropriate Feng Shui designs and symbolisms.

In Feng Shui, we designate certain areas of the home to our money concerns and enhancing them will certainly help us hold onto it and even help us bring about prosperity into our lives. Placing greenery or even Paintings which are predominantly green in colour at the East and South-East sectors of the living room and areas close to the entrance activate the fortunes.

• Choose the décor, furniture and colours according to what they symbolise and represent, as different colours represent different elements and have different symbolisms.

• Having a décor in green, motifs depicting wood, furnishings in green or live plants at the East sector of the family, foyer and dining area empowers healthy and strong family relationship luck.

• Crystals and natural Gem Tree signifies growth and wealth luck. It assists wealth flow and to acquire new assets and maintain financial balance.

• Bamboo or pine trees in the East of the garden or as indoor potted plants at the East of the family area signify good health and longevity to the occupants.

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Flag Day commemorates sacrifices made by Army personnel

Mysuru, Dec.11- JSS Science & Technology University celebrated the Armed Forces Flag Day at Sri Jayachamarajendra College of Engineering (SJCE) in city recently.

The Flag Day was organised to commemorate the supreme sacrifices made by Army personnel for protecting sovereignty and territorial integrity of our country and securing lives of the civilians against the threats of insurgency and terrorism as well as providing rescue and relief during natural calamities.

Brig. (retd.) Vinod Kumar Adappa, SM, was the guest speaker. Vinod Kumar Adappa was commissioned into the Indian Army in the year 1981. He was first posted as a Second Lieutenant at the high altitude sector of Sikkim on the Chinese border. He has served along China, Pakistan, Burma, Bangladesh and Nepal borders.

Brig. (retd.) Vinod Kumar Adappa, SM, addressing the gathering during the Flag Day celebrations at SJCE recently as others look on.

Prof. B.G. Sangameshwara, Vice-Chancellor, JSS Science & Technology University and Prof. K.S. Lokesh, Registrar, JSS Science & Technology University, were the guests of honour.

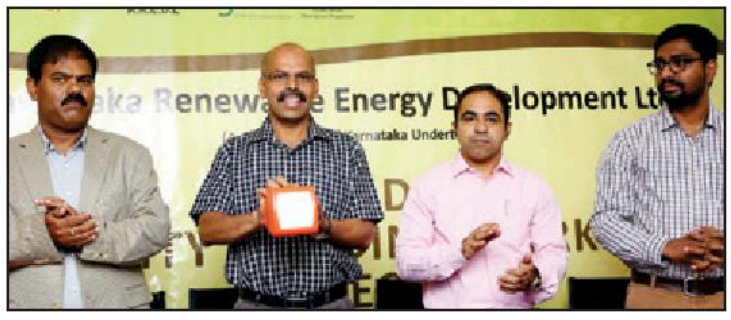
Prof. T.N. Nagabhushan, Principal, SJCE, presided over the programme.

Chief Administrative Officer Col. S. Neeraj Roy co-ordinated the event.

Excel in cultural competitions

The students of MMK&SDM Girls PU College won prizes in Inter-Collegiate Cultural Competitions organised by Bhadrinath PU College and MIT PU College in city recently. Sahana and Rakshitha emerged winners in 'Sangeetha Sambrama' anthakshari contest while the team led by Pooja won second prize in Creative Ads competition. Seen in the picture are *(standing from left)* ***Pooja, Amrutha, B. Jayalakshmi, C.S. Rakshitha, N. Sahana, Niveditha, Pratheeksha, Priyadarshini with*** *(sitting from left)* ***teaching staff Prathima, C. Jayalakshmi, Principal Prof. M.V. Asha, N.S. Asha and Student Welfare Officer H. Jayashree.***

Workshop on 'Energy Conservation Building Code' held



Mysuru, Dec.11 (SV)- A two-day capacity-building workshop on ECBC (Energy Conservation Building Code) was organised by The Bureau of Energy Efficiency, Government of India, in association with UNDP-GEF (United Nations Development Programme - Global Environment Facility) and Karnataka Renewable Energy Development Limited (KREDL) for architects, builders and civil engineers recently in city.

Prakash Achary, Section Head, Master Control Facility (MCF) - ISRO, Hassan, inaugurated the workshop by switching on a LED solar lantern.

Speaking on the occasion, he said, "Buildings are major consumers of energy in their construction, operation and maintenance phase. Energy consuming systems for lighting, air-conditioning and water heating provide comfort to its occupants but consumes large quantum of energy. Taking the utilisation of consumption into consideration, it is necessary to design a building that focuses on energy conservation aspects.

He added that ECBC encourages energy-efficient design or retrofit of building so that it does not constrain the building function, comfort, health, or the productivity of the occupants.

Following the inauguration, a technical session was conducted by Bureau of Energy Efficiency (BEE)-certified ECBC Master trainers Kuldeep Kumar and Shivakumar Bathra.

D.K. Dinesh Kumar, Project Engineer, KREDL, was also present. More than 100 Architects, Builders and Civil Engineers participated.

Tour of Nilgiris (TfN) 2017

Naveen Thomas John leads after the first stage

The cyclists seen taking part in the 10th edition of the Tour of Nilgiris (TfN).

Mysuru, Dec.11- Naveen Thomas John, the reigning Road Cycling National Champion leads after the first leg of the competitive section (Malavalli to Bannur-11.1km) with a timing of 15m:19.21s in the under-35 men's section, held on Sunday.

Around 128 cyclists who started off from Bengaluru, yesterday reached Mysuru by 4 pm. The grand tour with a contingent of 128 cyclists will pedal more than 1000 km across Karnataka, Kerala and Tamil Nadu, between Dec. 10 and 17. Starting from Bengaluru the cyclists will pedal through Mysuru, Madikeri, Sultan Bathery, Udhagamandalam (Ooty) and finish it by pedaling back to Mysuru.

On day-one cyclists pedaled from Bengaluru to Mysuru – nicknamed The Breakaway – covering a distance of 167 km of which 11.1 km was the competitive segment (between Ugranapura Doddi Village, Malavalli and opposite to Police Station, Kirugavalu, Malavalli-Mysuru Road).

The rally in the second leg left for Madikeri from Mysuru today morning and will then go to Sultan Bathery, Ooty and come back to Mysuru on the 16th evening.

The results of the first leg: Men U-35: 1. Naveen Thomas John (15m:19.21s), 2. K. Kiran Kumar Raju (16:33.22s), 3. S. Naveen (16:33.22s), 4. Rohan Mueller (17:21.87s), 5. Shiven (17:34.85s).

Women: 1. J.R. Lena Mareike (17m:47.90s), 2. V.M. Belinda (21m:16.34s), 3. M. Ayesha(22:22.74s), 4. W.B. Margret (23:50.07s), 5. D. Kseniia (23:50.11).

Masters: 1.B. Nils Egil (14:53.27s), 2. N. Venkateshwara Rao (17:21.52s), 3. Vivek Radhakrishnan (17:30.59s), 4. P. Rajanikanth (18:02.61s), 5. Veera Manikanta (18:19.48s).

Veterans: 1. Alexi Singh Grewal (17:49.50s), 2. M. Richard (18:05.92s), 3. Louwrens Van Der Steen (18:17.10s), 4. C. Jorge Diaz Del (19:07.40s), 5. Arun Malik (19:52.59s).

Cooch Behar Trophy U-19 Tournament

Kocher propels Gujarat

Mysuru, Dec.11- Inspiring batting by middle-order batsman L.M. Kocher (50 n.o, 5x4) and his valuable 50-runs unfinished partnership with S.S. Suryal (23 n.o.), for the seventh wicket helped Gujarat to score 196 for six in 93 overs in their second essay against Karnataka on the third and penultimate day of the Cooch Behar Trophy U-19 Tournament 2017, played at the SDNR Wadiyar stadium here yesterday. Gujarat are ahead by 250-runs and hold the upper-hand.

SCORES

Gujarat 217 in 95.2 overs (V.D. Shah 61, S.S.Patel 43, Abhishek R. Desai 33, Supreet Bagga 31, Vidwath Kaverappa four for 40, Shubhang Hegde four for 44) & 196 for six in 93 overs (L.M. Kocher 50 n.o, V.A. Solabki 35, Supreet Bagga 35, Shubhang Hegde three for 29) Vs Karnataka 163 in 76.4 overs (Shubhang Hegde 61, K.R. Patel four for 49, Pandya Hitanshu three for 40).

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STAR SPORTS NETWORK

Kolathur Govt. HS boys win Kho Kho tournament

The Government High School, Kolathur, Boys kho-kho team which emerged as the winners in the High School boys category at the District-level kho Kho Tournament organised by Alumni Association of Sportspersons Represented University of Mysore are seen with UoM Department of Physical Education former Director Dr. C. Krishna, In-charge Director Dr. P. Krishnaiah, M.J. Charan, Sreenivas Prasad and others.

Athletes run for Kannada cause in Mandya

Mandya, Dec. 11- Athletes and members of various organisations braced the chilly morning yesterday to take part in the Mandya Marathon organised by Kayakayogi Foundation, Organic Mandya, Ananya Arts, Arunodaya Trust and others organisations to create awareness on Kannada language, here yesterday.

The marathon was held for the athletes between the age group of 10 and 70 years. Athletes from Mandya, Mysuru, Davanagere, Ramanagar and other districts participated in the event. This apart, students, home-makers and senior citizens also run the marathon in support of the cause. Earlier, flagging off the marathon Senior Judge Mansoor Ahmed Jamaan spoke on the importance of sports activities and staying physically fit. Later, MLC K.T. Srikanthegowda distributed the prizes to the winners in various categories.

RESULTS

MEN: 1. Sandeep (K.R. Pet), 2. Sridhar (Mysuru). 3. Lakshman (Bengaluru).

WOMEN

K.M. Archana (Mysuru), 2. H.K. Kavya (Muttegere, Mandya), 3. Priyanka (Mysuru).

SENIOR CITIZENS

1. Harish (Mysuru), 2. Krishnamurthy, 3. H.V.P. Urs, 4 Jayaprakash.

Professional ethics is important for every individual, says CM

CM releases Amshi Prasanna Kumar's book

'Mysuru-Chamarajanagara Rajakeeya Itihasa'

Chief Minister Siddharamaiah, District in-Charge Minister Dr. H.C. Mahadevappa and MLA Vasu reading Amshi Prasanna Kumar's book** 'Mysuru-Chamarajanagara Rajakeeya Itihasa' **during the book release event held at Kalamandira on Dec.8.

Mysuru, Dec.11- Chief Minister Siddharamaiah released '*Mysuru-Chamarajanagara Rajakeeya Itihasa*' (Political History of Mysuru-Chamarajanagar) authored by senior journalist Amshi Prasanna Kumar at an event held at Kalamandira on Dec.8.

Addressing the gathering, Siddharamaiah stressed on the need of professional ethics and integrity for every working individual without which that individual has no value in the society. A journalist must look at thinks impartially to make an impact on the readers. "The basic quality of a journalist is that he must be dispassionate and must be free of corruption," he said.

Opining superstition must not affect a journalist, the CM cited the example where it was believed that if any CM visits Chamarajanagar, he will lose power. "I have visited Chamarajanagar a couple of times but see I am still in power. This made me stronger and I developed a will to oppose any form of superstition," he said.

The CM said superstition, caste, money, muscle power will not work in politics. "Only the love and trust gained by the leaders will help them emerge victorious," he said.

When one of his supporters from the audience said that he (Siddharamaiah) should become the Prime Minister, the CM said, "I was defeated twice in Lok Sabha elections and consider it a bad experience in my political career. I fear Lok Sabha elections."

Siddharamaiah added that he had contested from Mysuru Lok Sabha segment from Lok Dal party in 1980 and from Koppal Lok Sabha seat in 1991. "When I contested from Lok Dal, the party chief Chaudhary Charan Singh had sent Rs. 1 lakh for election expenses. But, only Rs. 50,000 reached me. As there was no money to spend, Professor K. Ramdas, Mahesh and I went into hiding at Nagarahole National Park. I obtained only 8,000 votes and lost the election," Siddharamaiah recalled.

District In-charge Minister Dr. H.C. Mahadevappa was the chief guest. MLA Vasu presided over the event. Minister Dr. Geetha Mahadevaprasad, Legislative Council Deputy Chairman Marithibbegowda, MP R. Dhruvanarayan, MLAs K. Venkatesh, G.T. Devegowda and MLC R. Dharmasena were present.

The book, published by Chinthana Chithara, has 748 pages with 250 chapters. Priced at Rs.500 (original cost Rs.900), the book covers elections from 1952 to the recently held 2017 Nanjangud and Gundlupet by-polls.

MP donates modified motorcycles to specially-abled

Mysuru, Dec.11- Chamarajanagar MP R. Dhruvanarayan donated three-wheeled motorcycles to seven specially-abled persons at the Office of the Specially-abled Welfare Officer in Tilaknagar here on Dec.8.

The specially-modified vehicles were donated to Anwar Pasha, a resident D.B. Kuppe in H.D. Kote; Swamygowda of Muddaiahnahundi; D. Prasad of Nanjipura in Hunsur; C.B. Mahadevaswamy of Chandrawadi village in Nanjangud; M. Shivakumar of Immavu hundi village; D.M. Revanna of Devanoor village and K.H. Nagaraju of Kirattu village in Mysuru taluk under the Members of Parliament Local Area Development Scheme (MPLADS).

Disabled Welfare Officer Geetha was also present.

Government planning to stop RTE fee reimbursement to schools

Bengaluru, Dec.11- The State Government is mulling to discontinue reimbursement of fees to private schools under the Right To Education (RTE) Act 2009. The Government had made it compulsory to admit 25 percent of the poor students to private schools and was reimbursing the fees to the schools under the RTE Act.

Now that the Government is planning to stop the reimbursement, the private school managements are in a fix. The Government in the guise of forming a new Education Policy is planning to place the policy proposals before the next Cabinet meeting before being enacted into a Law.

This session will be the last one of the current Congress Government.

During the 2017-18 Budget presentation, the new School Education Policy will be announced. This policy will include all the rules including RTE said, Commissioner of Public Instruction P.C. Jaffer.

It is better to withdraw RTE Act. The poor students are not getting any benefits under this Act. Since the well-established schools with all facilities come under the Minority Department, only the schools without basic facilities provide admissions under the RTE Act. Hence, the purpose of this Act has completely failed. By improving the quality of government schools, the poor children can be provided good education.

— Kautilya R. Raghu
Chairman, Kautilya Vidyalaya, Mysuru

If the Government withdraws fees reimbursement then most of the private schools who are admitting poor students under the RTE Act will not be able to pay salaries to the teachers. For instance in our own school when we admit students to LKG and UKG under the RTE quota there is a big gap of nearly Rs.8,000 to Rs. 9,000 that we have to bear as the Government pays just about Rs.11,000 to Rs. 16,000 per student whereas the admission fee that we have to charge is much more. When it comes to private schools with most modern facilities and who charge heavy fees accordingly, they will be in real trouble. However, the schools run by the Minority Institutions do not come under this Act. The Government cannot also scrap the Right To Education Act as it is an Act of the Central Government. The only option left for the private schools is to go to Court.

—R. Vasudev Bhat
Hon. Secretary, Vijaya Vittala Educational Institutions

Fortunately our school is not much affected as it is a charitable institution and we run it under the State Board. I strongly feel that if the RTE goes to genuine beneficiaries then such problems will not arise. If the standard of education in Government schools improve, then the economically weaker section would prefer to send their wards to such schools than to fancy schools charging exorbitant fees. There are people who have borrowed huge sums of money to start schools for buying sites and constructing fancy buildings. There will be problems for such institutions if the fees are not reimbursed.

—P.S. Ganapathy
Hon. Secretary, Bharatiya Vidya Bhavan (BVB), Mysuru

New Principal appointed

Dr. Hegde

Mysuru, Dec.11- The State Government has appointed Dr. Gajanana Hegde as the Principal of Government Ayurveda College in Mysuru.

Dr. Hegde, who was serving as the Head, Post Graduate Department of Kayachikitsa at the Government Ayurveda College, has been promoted as the Principal of the College, according to an order issued by B. Kamalamma, Under Secretary to Government (Health and Family Welfare Department), on Nov.30.

Senior doctors feted at MAA Utsav

Mysuru, Dec.11 (YDS&US)- The two-day Mysore Medical College Alumni Association (MAA) Utsav-2017, organised by the Association which commenced on Dec. 9 concluded on Dec.10, during which senior doctors were felicitated at the MMC&RI Platinum Jubilee Hall in J.K. Grounds here.

Awards: Lifetime Achievement Award was presented to Dr. Kantha Jadhav, former Vice-Chancellor, Rajiv Gandhi University of Health Sciences (RGUHS).

Doctors C.K. Hiranyagowda, B.V. Ramalingashetty, H.S. Ballal, Shantaram Shetty, Sharanappa, K.S. Thippegowda, Ganapati, Ranganathaaiah, Anandappa, P. Narayan, Mayappa, T.R. Ravinath, A.C. Sriram, Vijayadev and Puttanna were also felicitated on the occasion. Dr. Kantha Jadhav, in his inaugural address, asked doctors to be polite and kind with patients as the profession demands such qualities.

Retired VC of RGUHS Dr. S. Chandrashekar Shetty, MMC&RI Dean and Director Dr. S. Radhamani, Director of Institute of Diabetology-Bengaluru Dr. M.A. Shekar, MAA President Dr. H.T. Chidanand, Secretary Dr. M.S. Kempegowda, Treasurer Dr. B.N. Ananda Ravi and others were present during the programme.

56th National Pharmacy Week

'Generic medicines are of best quality in the world'

PMBJK Karnataka Senior Marketing Officer Dr. B. Anila is seen inaugurating the programme as part of 56th National Pharmacy Week at JSS College of Pharmacy here recently as other dignitaries look on.

Mysuru, Dec.11 (PM&US)- As part of 56th National Pharmacy Week, Indian Pharmaceutical Association (IPA), Mysuru Wing, had organised a function at Rajendra Auditorium in JSS Pharmacy College premises here on Dec.8 with a theme 'Know your medicines: Ask your pharmacist.'

Inaugurating the programme, Dr. B. Anila, Senior Marketing Officer, Pradhan Mantri Bharathiya Jan-Aushadi Kendra (PMBJK), Karnataka Zone, opined that the generic medicines available at PMBJK outlets were not just cheap but are of the best quality in the world. She added that the quality had been authenticated by World Health Organisation (WHO).

She said that there were about 2,500 pharma companies in India and if each one of them open a generic medicine outlet, it would be a boon for the poor people.

Referring to the scenario in society she regretted that mud slinging was rampant among politicians which was not a healthy sign.

JSS Pharmacy College Principal Dr. T.M. Pramod Kumar presided. Deputy Drug Controller, Mysuru Region C.M. Shivakumar, IPA Mysuru Wing President Gurubasavaraj Pujar, Sarada Vilas Pharmacy College Principal Dr. Hanumanthachar Joshi, Farooquia Pharmacy College Principal Dr. Mohammed Salauddin, Karnataka State Government Pharmacists Association Mysuru-Chamarajanagar Branch President C.L. Somashekar, Mysuru District Chemists and Druggists Association President S. Kumaraswamy and others were present.

Appointed as Priest of Melukote Temple

Dr. Bhashyam

Melukote, Dec.11- The State Government has appointed Dr. Bhashyam Swamiji, Founder of Sri Yoganarasimhaswamy Temple at Vijayanagar in Mysuru, as the Priest of Yoganarasimhaswamy Temple at Melukote.

Dr. Bhashyam Swamiji has been appointed in the absence of the Temple Priest S. Narayana Bhattar.

Government Secretary Bhanumathi, in an order passed on Nov.11, has directed Bhashyam Swamiji to perform all pujas and rituals at the temple in the absence of Narayana Bhattar.

ಷೇರಿನಿಂದ ಹಣ ಮಾಡಿ

"ನಾವೂ ಶ್ರೀಮಂತರಾಗಬೇಕು ಎಂಬುವ ಹಂಬಲ ಎಲ್ಲರಲ್ಲೂ ಇದೆ. ಆದರೆ ಸಂಪತ್ತನ್ನು ಗಳಿಸಬಹುದಾದ ಉಪಾಯಗಳು ನಮ್ಮಲ್ಲಿಲ್ಲ. ಅದಕ್ಕೆ ನಮಗೆ ಬೇಕಾಗಿರುವುದು ಶ್ರೀಮಂತ ಯೋಚನೆ ಮತ್ತು ಮನೋಭಾವನೆ ಎನ್ನುತ್ತಾರೆ ಆಂತರರ್ರಾಷ್ಟ್ರೀಯ ಖ್ಯಾತಿಯ ತರಬೇತುದಾರರಾದ ಡಾ|| ಭರತ್ ಚಂದ್ರ.

ಸಂಪತ್ತು ಸಂಪತ್ತನ್ನು ಆಕರ್ಷಿಸುತ್ತದೆ. ಮೊದಲ ಒಂದು ಲಕ್ಷ ಸಂಪಾದಿಸುವುದು ಕಷ್ಟ ಮುಂದಿನ ಒಂದು ಲಕ್ಷಕ್ಕೆ ಅಷ್ಟು ಪರಿಶ್ರಮ ಬೇಕಿಲ್ಲ. ಹಾಗೆಯೇ ಮುಂದೊಂದು ದಿನ ಕುಳಿತಲ್ಲಿಯೇ ಲಕ್ಷಗಟ್ಟಲೆ ಹಣ ಸಂಪಾದಿಸಬಹುದು.

ಷೇರು ಮಾರುಕಟ್ಟೆಯಲ್ಲಿ ಸಫಲರಾಗಬೇಕಾದರೆ ಲಕ್ಷಾಂತರ ಹೂಡಬೇಕಾಗಿಲ್ಲ. ಇಂಗ್ಲೀಷ್, ಕಂಪ್ಯೂಟರ್ ಜ್ಞಾನ ಬೇಕೇಬೇಕೆಂಬ ನಿಯಮವಿಲ್ಲ. ಹಗಲೂ ರಾತ್ರಿ ದುಡಿಯಬೇಕಾಗಿಲ್ಲ. ವ್ಯವಹಾರ ಜ್ಞಾನ ಇದ್ದು ಕೇವಲ 20-30 ಸಾವಿರ ಬಂಡವಾಳದಿಂದಲೂ ನಿಮ್ಮ ವ್ಯವಹಾರವನ್ನು ಈಗ ಪ್ರಾರಂಭಿಸಬಹುದು. ಷೇರು ತುಂಬ ಅಪಾಯಕರ ಮತ್ತು ಅರ್ಥವಾಗದ ಗೊಂದಲಮಯ ಮಾಯಾ ಬಜಾರ್ ಎಂಬ ತಪ್ಪು ಕಲ್ಪನೆಯನ್ನು ಹೋಗಲಾಡಿಸಿ ವ್ಯವಹರಿಸಿದರೆ ಇದರಿಂದ ಲಾಭ ಪಿಂಡಿತ.

ವಿಶೇಷವಾದ ಸೆಮಿನಾರ್ – ನಾಳೆ ಮಂಗಳ. ಡಿಸೆಂಬರ್ 12 ರಂದು ಮತ್ತು ನಾಡಿದ್ದು ಡಿಸೆಂ.13 (ಬುಧ) ಸಂಜೆ 6.10 ಕ್ಕೆ ಸ್ಥಳ : JLB ರಸ್ತೆಯ ರೋಟರಿ ಹಾಲಿನಲ್ಲಿ (MUDA ದ ಎದುರುಗಡೆ) ಸೀಟುಗಳು ಮೊದಲ 100 ಜನರಿಗೆ ಮಾತ್ರ ಎಲ್ಲರಿಗೂ ಸುಸ್ವಾಗತ. ಪ್ರವೇಶ ಉಚಿತ.

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WORD OF THE DAY

Maieutic

Meaning: Relating to or resembling the Socratic method of eliciting new ideas from another.

Examples: "The maieutic art of Socrates consists, essentially, of asking questions designed to destroy prejudices; false beliefs which are often traditional or fashionable beliefs; false answers, given in the spirit of ignorant cocksureness." — Karl Popper, Conjectures and Refutations, 1962.

"Montaigne wrote as a kind of maieutic exercise, a way of drawing his thoughts into the light of day, of discovering what he wanted to say as he said it." — James Somers, The Atlantic, 21 Dec. 2010.

Origin: Maieutic comes from maieutikos, the Greek word for "of midwifery." In one of Plato's Dialogues, Socrates applies maieutikos to his method of bringing forth new ideas by reasoning and dialogue; he thought the technique analogous to those a midwife uses in delivering a baby (Socrates' mother was a midwife). A teacher who uses maieutic methods can be thought of as an intellectual midwife who assists students in bringing forth ideas and conceptions previously latent in their minds.

THE ODD WORD

Zabaglione

Frothy custard

IDIOM OF THE DAY

Fat chance

Meaning: We use the expression “fat chance” to refer to something that is incredibly unlikely. Bizarrely, and contrary to what one might expect, the related expression “slim chance” means the same thing.

Example: “We might win the Lottery.” “Fat chance.”

Origins: The origins of this expression are unclear, but the use of the word “fat” is likely to be a sarcastic version of saying “slim chance.” A similar expression is “Chance would be a fine thing”, which refers to something that one would like to happen, but that is very unlikely."

QUOTE BOX

We must use time wisely and forever realise that the time is always ripe to do right. **—Nelson Mandela**

RIDDLE THIS

Answer the rebus below:

Answer: Music to one's ears.

SUDOKU

8					3	9		
				4		7		
		2	7					1
9					1			5
			6		2			
5			3					2
3					7	6		
		4		8				
		6	5					7

Answer to previous puzzle

9	3	5	2	4	8	6	1	7
2	1	6	3	5	7	9	8	4
8	7	4	6	1	9	5	2	3
7	8	9	4	2	3	1	5	6
5	2	1	9	7	6	4	3	8
6	4	3	1	8	5	7	9	2
4	9	7	8	3	1	2	6	5
1	5	8	7	6	2	3	4	9
3	6	2	5	9	4	8	7	1

Sudoku is a number-placing puzzle based on a 9x9 grid with several given numbers. The object is to place the numbers 1 to 9 in the empty squares so that each row, each column and each 3x3 box contains the same number only once. The difficulty level of the Concept is Sudoku increases from Monday to Sunday.

CROSS WORD

ACROSS:

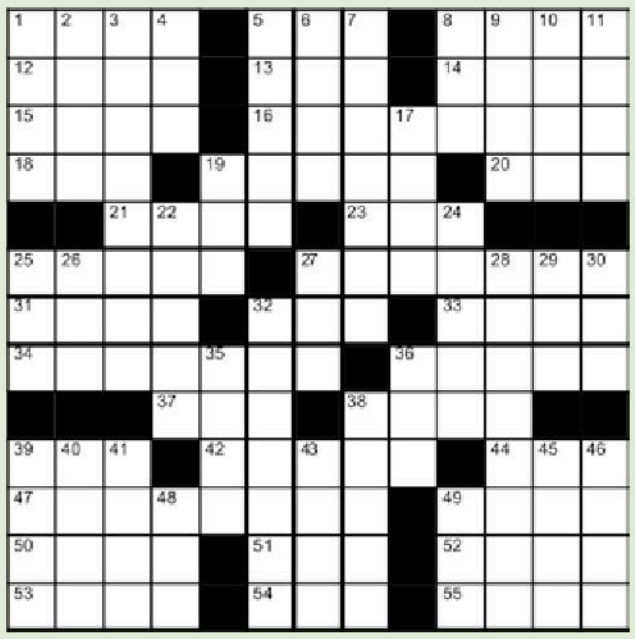
1 The game __ __ : you are exposed, in a way? (2,2)
5 Large, abbr.
8 Semi-precious stone
12 Industrially developed Gujarat city
13 Resinous substance used in varnishes and sealing wax
14 Latvian capital
15 Surmounting
16 Acted against with force, assaulted
18 Girl's name - "Ann" changed?
19 __ ___ form: in good nick (2,3)
20 Suffix denoting place or ownership?
21 Norway’s capital
23 Pakistan
25 Great deeds
27 A lazy person who would rather sleep than work? (3-4)
31 "a" in a.m. i.e. the morning?
32 599 for the Romans
33 Repenter or crier?
34 Persian gulf country?
36 Comprehensively or completely
37 Damayanti's counterpart in Indian folklore
38 Pale red colour
39 American Medical Association, acronym
42 Sovereign or king
44 Owned, possessed
47 Exhausts or uses up
49 Display or practice model (abbrev.)
50 River Thames at Oxford?
51 Tokyo, once - "doe" anagram?
52 Was in or assumed a sleeping posture?
53 That man from Bangkok?
54 Karl Marx's ___ Kapital
55 Lyric poems usually addressed to particular individuals or things

THURSDAY'S ANSWER:

M	O	T	H	■	W	A	Y	■	L	E	N	S
A	U	R	A	■	A	R	E	■	I	L	I	A
B	R	A	S	S	I	C	A	■	L	E	D	A
■	■	■	H	O	N	■	R	E	A	P	E	R
J	I	M	M	Y	■	P	S	Y	C	H	■	■
E	R	E	I	■	H	O	A	R	■	A	S	A
E	I	D	■	G	A	U	G	E	■	N	W	S
R	S	A	■	I	N	T	O	■	S	T	I	R
■	■	L	E	N	D	S	■	S	L	A	M	S
N	I	L	G	A	I	■	L	E	O	■	■	■
E	M	I	R	■	C	H	A	N	G	I	N	G
A	P	S	E	■	A	E	S	■	A	S	E	A
P	I	T	T	■	P	M	S	■	N	O	D	S

DOWN

1 He was terrible
2 Hard drive technology in short
3 How a witness testifies - promising to be truthful? (4,4)
4 Seed of an apple, pear, etc
5 Extensive grassy plain of S. America
6 General Agreement on Trade and Tariffs
7 Pertaining to a misplaced foetus
8 Sauron's footsoldier in Lord Of The Rings
9 An old infantry weapon
10 Periods of time
11 Put on cargo
17 Assoc. of Pub. Add. Engrs.
19 Instrument Landing Sys.
22 Cold and forbidding in appearance
24 Racing driver ____ Chandhok
25 Fabulous, in short or colloquially?
26 Girl's name
27 ___ Biao : Mao Zedong's famous general?
28 Partition in a ship
29 As slippery as an ____?
30 Not containing any moisture or water
32 With added liquid
35 Swiss river - change of "area"?
36 Evergreen coniferous tree
38 Mexican dollars
39 Means of access
40 Fabric with open spaces between the threads
41 Samoan Port
43 Legendary woman seduced by swan
45 Female friend from France?
46 Senior university professors, especially at Oxford or Cambridge
48 Large Scale Integration, abbr.
49 Dead Letter Off.



CRYPTOQUIP

The Cryptoquip is a substitution cipher in which one letter stands for another. If you think that X equals O, it will equal O throughout the puzzle. Single letters, short words and words using an apostrophe give you clues to locating vowels. Solution is by trial and error.

R KTLYQ ZUMJWZ CW U NTKUZQ MJUE CZUSW CWNULOW

GWTGYW JLZM XTL KJWE XTL UZW CZUSW

TODAY’S CLUE: G EQUALS P

Thursday's Cryptoquip: If the world should blow itself up, the last audible voice would be that of an expert saying it can't be done.

NOW SHOWING

Movie	Theatre	Phone	Shows
KANNADA			
Mr. Perfect	Prabha	2423569	2 Shows
Moodayana	Prabha	2423569	2 Shows
College Kumar	Woodlands	2422871	2 Shows
Smuggler	Woodlands	2422871	2 Shows
	Mahadeshwara	9900820093	4 Shows
	Thibbadevi	2452958	4 Shows
Anveshi	Lido	2420885	4 Shows
Women's Day	Gayathri	2443568	4 Shows
H Yarige	Olympia	2420737	4 Shows
Mufti	Shanthala	2427584	4 Shows
	Sangam	2520494	4 Shows
	Saraswathi	2541451	4 Shows
Bharjari	Lakshmi	2443584	4 Shows
HINDI			
Fukrey Returns	Sri Nagaraj	2520490	4 Shows
Game Over	Balaji Deluxe	2497199	4 Shows
Dirty Dancer	Uma	2520009	4 Shows
TAMIL			
Kodiveeran	Rajkamal	2423554	4 Shows
	Sterling	2481170	4 Shows
TELUGU			
Oxygen	Skyline	2481170	4 Shows
Sapthagiri LLB	Padma	2521923	4 Shows

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Fukrey Returns (H)	(S-1)	10.50 am, 4.30 pm
		7.15 pm, 9.55 pm
Kodiveeran (Ta)	(S-1)	1.30 pm
Thor: Ragnarok (E-3D)	(S-2)	11.00 am, 1.45 pm
Richie (Ta)	(S-2)	4.30 pm, 9.50 pm
Coco (E-3D)	(S-3)	11.15 am
Tumhari Sulu (H)	(S-3)	1.45 pm, 4.45 pm
Wonder (E)	(S-3)	7.30 pm
Mufti (K)	(S-4)	10.20 am, 1.10 pm
		4.05 pm, 7.00 pm
		9.55 pm

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Mufti (K)	(S-2)	9.55 am, 12.55 pm
		3.55 pm, 6.55 pm
		9.55 pm
	(S-3)	12.00 pm, 3.00 pm, 9.00
	(S-4)	11.10 am
Fukrey Returns (H)	(S-1)	10.00 am, 12.55 pm, 3.50
		6.45 pm, 9.40 pm
	(S-3)	6.05 pm
Richie (Ta)	(S-3)	9.50 am
	(S-4)	7.30 pm
Kodiveeran (Ta)	(S-4)	9.50 pm
Women's Day (K)	(S-4)	2.10 pm
Mr. Perfect (K)	(S-4)	4.50 pm

Movie timings published here are subject to sudden change by the theatre managements. The films are also liable to be changed in multiplexes if there are no minimum audience of 15 to the film announced here.

TV TONIGHT

7:00 pm Jeet Gayi to Piyaa Morey	7:00 pm Tu Sooraj Main Saanjh Piyaji	7:30 pm Mere Sai
7:30 Aisi Deewangi...	7:30 Ye Hai Mohabbatein	8:00 Vighnaharta Ganesh
8:00 Zindagi Ki Mahek	8:00 Rishton Ka Chakravyuh	8:30 Porus
8:30 Piya Albela	8:30 Ikyawann	9:00 Rishta Likhenge Hum Naya
9:00 Kumkum Bhagya	9:00 Naamkarann	9:30 Haasil
9:30 Kundali Bhagya	9:30 Yeh Rishta Kya Kehlata Hai	10:00 Ek Deewana Tha
		10:30 Yeh Un Dinon Ki Baat Hai
6:00 pm Man Vs. Wild	7:00 pm KBD Superhits	6:00 pm Primal Survivor
7:00 How It's Made	7:30 Superstars	7:00 Airport Security
7:30 Fail Army	8:00 Sri Lanka Tour of India 2016 H/ls	8:00 Animal Fight Club
8:00 Wild Frank In India	8:30 Indian Super League 2017/18	9:00 Street Genius
9:00 Dangerous Borders	9:00 Match Point : India vs. Sri Lanka	9:30 S.O.S Smartest Show on Tv
10:00 Bear Grylls: Survival School	9:30 West Indies Tour of New Zealand H/ls : 2nd Test Day 3	10:00 The Long Road Home
10:30 Savage Family Diggers		11:00 Body Hack : Mixed Martial Arts
11:00 A Haunting		
6:30 pm Oggy & the Cockroaches	7:00 pm Mahaganapathi	7:00 pm Kaveri
7:00 Masti Travels Pvt Ltd	7:30 Ennu Swantham Jaani	7:30 Avalu
8:30 Oggy & the Cockroaches	8:00 Naga Kanyaka	8:00 Nandini
9:00 Teen Titans Go	8:30 Shaneeswaran	9:00 Jeevanadhi
9:30 Horrid Henry	9:00 Nandini	9:30 Doddamane Sose
10:00 Ben 10	9:30 Ayalathe Sundari	10:00 Sarayoo
	10:00 Premam	10:30 Udaya Singer Junior

MOVIES TONIGHT

4:16 pm **Ice Age**	4:08 pm **Speed Racer**	5:26 pm **Brother Nature**
6:15 **Kingsman**	6:37 **Fantastic Beasts and Where to Find Them**	7:11 **Tai Chi Zero**
9:00 **Finding Dory**	9:00 **War Dogs**	9:00 **Transformers**
10:59 **Speed**		11:32 **Ghost & Darkness**
3:00 pm **Lootera**	6:06 pm **Return of Raju**	3:40 pm **Teesri Aankh**
6:00 **Dostana**	9:00 **The Real Tevar**	6:38 **Teleshopping**
9:00 **Super Khiladi 4**	11:58 **Ravan Raaj: A True Story**	8:10 **Rajani**
3:51 pm **The Karate Kid**	4:00 pm **Jaana**	4:25 pm **Baby**
6:54 **Despicable Me 2**	7:00 **Manasaare**	7:55 **Baadshaho**
9:00 **Waterworld**	10:00 **Bhoomi**	10:55 **Kabali**
11:55 **DOA: Dead or Alive**		

EVENTS TODAY (DEC.11)

Tamil Nadu Handloom Weavers' Co-operative Society Ltd. (Co-optex): Exhibition-cum-sale of handloom products, Madhava Shenoy Hall, Institution of Engineers-India (IEI), JLB Road, **up to 8 pm.**

Mysore Designers and Printers Association: Felicitation and 2018 Calendar release, felicitation to Dhanesh (recipient of Golden Award at Best Screen Printing Press Contest) by Past President R. Vasudeva Bhat, calendar release by 'Varthaman' Kannada Newspaper Founder M.T. Jayaram, Ayurveda Balaka Bhakta Mandali, behind Rajkamal theatre, Shivarampet, **4 pm.**

Builders Association of India (BAI), Mysore Centre: Valedictory of My-Build-17 Expo, Maharaja's College Grounds, **5 pm.**

Sri Raghavendraswamy Seva Samiti, Jayalakshmipuram: Discourse on 'Sangraha Ramayana' by Vid. Nagarahalli Raghavendrachar, Samiti premises, **5 pm to 6.30 pm.**

Children's Literary Club, Mysuru: 'Training Kannada Medium Students to participate in English Quiz (Relating to Sports): Part-1' by Club Director Dr. R. Purnima, Government Girls Hostel, Adi Pampa Road, V.V. Mohalla, **5 pm.**

Muzurai Department, Government of Karnataka: Shri Sitharamara Kalyana Mahotsav, cultural programmes, Bharathanatya by Ranjani Music and Dance School - Mysuru, **5.30 pm;** Harikathe by Kalidasa and troupe, Kote Anjaneyaswamy Temple, Palace North Gate, **6.30 pm.**

Ganabharathi: Veena recital by veena artistes of three generations — Vid. M.K. Saraswathi along with her daughter Vid. Rajyashree Josyer Srikanth and granddaughter Aishwarya Manikarnik, Ganabharathi, Adichunchanagiri Road, Kuvempunagar, **6 pm.**

EVENTS TOMORROW (DEC.12)

Muzurai Department, Government of Karnataka: Shri Rama Devara Pattabhisheka Mahotsav, **8 am onwards;** Harismarane by Hare Srinivasa Bhajana Mandali, **5.30 pm;** Violin recital by Vid. Amba Prasad and troupe, Kote Anjaneyaswamy Temple, Palace North Gate, **6.30 pm.**

Tamil Nadu Handloom Weavers' Co-operative Society Ltd. (Co-optex): Exhibition-cum-sale of handloom products, Madhava Shenoy Hall, Institution of Engineers-India (IEI), **10 am to 8 pm.**

Kalisu Foundation: Inauguration of Kalisu Library by Minister Dr. Githa Mahadevaprasad, MLA M.K. Somashekar chief guest, Plansee India COO Supriya Salian guest of honour, , Jayanagar Government School, **10.30 am.**

Indira Gandhi Rashtriya Manav Sangrahalaya (IGRMS), Southern Regional Centre (SRC), Mysuru and Anthropological Survey of India, SRC, Mysuru: National Workshop on 'Tribal Healers' and Exhibition of Tribal Medicines, IGRMS, SRC Wellington House Irwin Road, **11 am to 6 pm.**

Mysuru Zoo: Quiz competition for high school students, Zoo auditorium, **11 am.**

Elder Citizen's Council, Jayalakshmipuram: Founder's Day celebrations, Karnataka Janapada Parishath T. Thimmegowda inaugurates, scholar Dr. Kabbinale Vasanth Baradwaj chief guest, Council Chairman S.V. Gowdappa presides, Saraswathi Samudaya Bhavan, Council premises, **11 am.**

Children's Literary Club, Mysuru: 'Training Kannada Medium Students to participate in English Quiz (Relating to Sports): Part-2' by Club Director Dr. R. Purnima, Government Girls Hostel, Adi Pampa Road, V.V. Mohalla, **5 pm.**

Sri Vedavidya Prasarini Sabha: Sampurna Srimadramayana Discourse Series by Dr. K.S. Narayanacharya, Sarada Vilas College Centenary Hall, Krishnamurthypuram, **6.15 pm to 8.15 pm.**

Bandhavya - Message of International Peace

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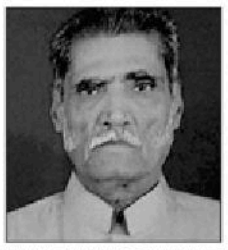

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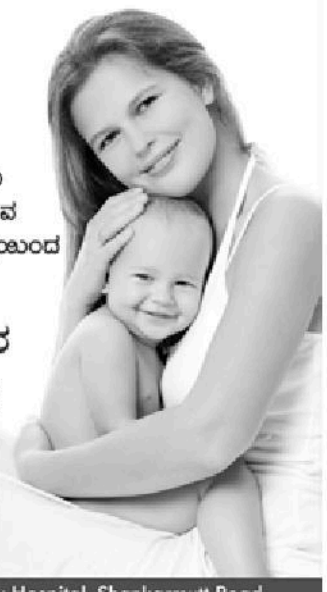

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